

Serious Disasters at Sea.

The New York Herald of Tuesday last, contained the following accounts relative to the disasters on the coast, &c.:

The ship John Milton, Capt. Ephraim Harding, supposed to be from San Francisco, but last from Oahu Island, loaded with guano, for New Bedford, was wrecked off Montauk, L. I., on Saturday last, the 20th inst. She is a total wreck, and completely broken up. Eight dead bodies of her officers and crew have been found; also the Captain's writing desk, with some of the ship's papers in it. It was picked up on the beach.

Intelligence reached this city yesterday that the large double engine steam-tug Wm. H. Webb, Capt. Hazard, was ashore at Egg Harbor, with her larboard engine broken and the vessel leaking badly. The schooner Escalante was immediately despatched to her assistance.

The Wm. H. Webb arrived at this port last evening, having come in with one wheel, the port engine being damaged so as to render it useless.

Accounts from Atlantic City state that the Flying Dutchman was rapidly breaking up, but Capt. Bowen, who came direct from the wreck, reports her as having gone to pieces. The steam pumps had previously been lost overboard.

Capt. Francis, of the steaming Underwriter, reports a large black schooner, with a poop-house extending to the mainmast, ashore on Ronger Shoal.

The Hamburg ship Howard, Capt. Walter, from Hamburg, arrived at this port yesterday, after a passage of ninety-six days, the voyage being a stormy one from beginning to end. She left Hamburg, November 17, with two hundred and eighty-six passengers, thirty-seven of whom died on the passage, from a sickness resembling cholera, and from weakness occasioned by shortness of provisions and water—the latter being sent out in very small quantities for the past forty two days, and most of that made from distillation from sea water.

Additionally to the above we learn that the entire passage was made through a succession of westerly gales, one of which was so violent as to wash one of the passengers overboard.

The suffering of the passengers was great. After they had been out about six weeks, their supply of fresh water was exhausted, and to prevent famishing from thirst, a machine that the Captain had on board, invented for the purpose of extracting the particles of salt from salt water, was brought into requisition, and was found to be able to perform work enough to prevent the effects of the total absence of fresh water. In fact enough, it was ascertained, could be done to supply what was barely necessary to preserve the lives of the 386 passengers who were on board.

During the passage thirty-seven persons were swept away by the disease which broke out, and nearly one-third of all the passengers on board had been attacked. After arriving at Quarantine it was found necessary to have three of the passengers conveyed to the hospital on Staten Island. They are Germans, and their names are Louis Jamming, Charlotte Benna, Caroline James.

Towards the end of the voyage the sanitary condition of the vessel was wretched, and when the passengers landed yesterday, the effects of this were sadly visible. On the entire, however, they looked much better than could be expected, under the circumstances. We heard that two whole families, consisting of four persons each, were among those who were fatally attacked by the virulent epidemic.

Important from China.

Vin Malta, Calcutta dates to the 9th of January have reached England. Also, Canton dates to the 29th of December, and Hongkong dates to the 13th January. Sir Colin Campbell had taken possession of Finkbad, which was abandoned by the enemy on the 24th. Gerschore was also taken on the 24th—seven guns captured and 200 of the enemy killed. The British loss was only 2 killed and 7 wounded.

The roads between Delhi and Calcutta were open. General Outram was safely posted. The Alambagh postern was beginning to bring supplies to the camp.

The British and French forces landed at Canton on the 28th of December. The British landed 4,600 men, and the French 900 men. The walls were encircled on the 29th, and the heights within the town were in possession of the besiegers by nine o'clock in the morning. The Chinese feebly contested the advance of the English and French within the city. The damage done to the town was but small. The Captain of the ship Aescop was killed.

The Times' dispatch says that the bombardment of Canton commenced at daylight on the 29th, and continued all day and the ensuing night. The assault was made in three divisions at 6 o'clock in the morning. Gough's force was taken and two others were blown up. The Chinese continued to fire from their houses, but the troops were restrained from entering the city.

Tea had considerably declined at Hong Kong. Large shipments were making to India.

A Terrible League.—The Paris correspondent of the New York Times, speaking of the late attempted assassination of Louis Napoleon, says:

It is reported that one of the prisoners, Radin, has turned State's evidence, and that, in his confession, he has revealed a plot that does not offer a very smiling prospect for the Emperor. According to Radin's confession, the conspirators were five hundred in number. They are bound to their work by a terrible oath, and their object is the assassination of Louis Napoleon. Each year, or often, if circumstances will warrant the attempt, the whole band are to draw lots from a box, in which there will be five winning numbers. The five members drawing these are held to put in immediate execution an attempt upon the Emperor's life, which shall be approved by the whole society, and by those who are charged with its execution. The society has plenty of money for carrying out its designs.

A Louisiana Saint.—One of the members of the Louisiana Senate is named "Saint Paul." It is this Mr. "Saint Paul" who is trying to get the Legislature of that State to take action in favor of reviving that supposedly institution, the African slave trade.

More Fights at Washington.

On Saturday afternoon week, a personal difficulty occurred in the bar-room of Brown's Hotel, in Washington, between Hon. James B. Clay, of Kentucky, and Mr. Cullom, late clerk of the House of Representatives. The Washington Star gives the following version of the affair:

Mr. Clay was approached by Mr. Cullom while standing in the hall in company with other gentlemen, and a conversation sprang up between them, in the course of which Mr. Cullom took occasion to remark that he had been acquainted with the father of Mr. Clay, and expressed great respect and veneration for him. He then invited Mr. Clay to drink, but the latter pleaded as an excuse that he had just drunk. Mr. Cullom insisted on Mr. Clay drinking again, and as the latter reiterated his excuse he made some remark calculated to excite Mr. Cullom. In the meantime they had entered the bar-room, and after filling a glass for himself, Mr. Cullom, offended, perhaps, at Mr. Clay's reiteration of his unwillingness to drink—proposed as a toast "The illustrious sire of a degenerate son," or something to that effect. At this Mr. Clay expressed his indignation somewhat severely, when Mr. Cullom struck him in the face.

During yesterday's rumors were current that arrangements had been made for a battle meeting between the parties, and even the seconds were designated, and the statement made that the weapons to be used were rifles. Both the gentlemen were said to be absent from the city, and this circumstance went far to confirm the reports. We have not, however, been able to gather anything which gives us reason to believe that a hostile meeting has taken place; and as the friends of both parties are said to be eagerly endeavoring to adjust the affair, it is generally hoped that a duel will be prevented.

Another account states that Mr. Clay, immediately after the affair, called on Senator Johnson, of Arkansas, to set as his friend, and a peremptory notice was communicated to Mr. Cullom, to which acceptance was signified so soon as a competent second could be chosen.

It is stated that the War Department will take care to prevent any hostile meeting from growing out of the correspondence between Col. Sumner and Gen. Harney. Another affair occurred in Washington Sunday morning. It is stated that a couple of lieutenants in the army, Bell and Williams, met in a barber's shop attached to Willard's hotel, and after some words had passed between them Williams struck Bell two or three times over the head with a heavy cane. They then clenched, and both came to the floor, when they were separated. It appears that differences of long standing have existed between them, and that they arrived on Saturday from New York to settle in the manner usual among gentlemen. Bell has sent a peremptory challenge to Williams, who, it is alleged, declines to fight.

The Duel between Lieut. Bell & Williams. WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—Lieut. Bell and Williams, who had a collision in a barber's shop on Sunday, went beyond Bladensburg this morning at 4 o'clock, accompanied by their respective friends. It is said that Bell fired at the word "one," the ball from his pistol penetrating Williams's hat. Williams, who was the assailant party, having given the satisfaction demanded, discharged his pistol in the snow. The belligerents returned to Washington apparently reconciled.

The Expected Duel—Challenge Withdrawn. WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—The challenge having been withdrawn and the seconds having retired, Messrs. Crittenden and Toombs, and Mason of Kentucky, have effected a settlement of the difficulties between Messrs. Clay and Cullom, who have returned to Washington.

Earthquake in Ohio.

A number of persons in this city, on the 12th inst., heard an unusual explosion, and at the same time observed the vibration of the atmosphere—the shaking of the houses and the rattling of windows, &c.—while many others regarded the observation as imaginary and a vague hallucination. The Wellsville Patriot, published at the town of Wellsville, on the Ohio river, twenty-two miles north of this city, in its issue of Monday, explains. The editor says:

"This vicinity was visited on Friday last, about 5 o'clock, P. M. with a dull, heavy reverberating sound, like that of distant blasting rock; and so far as we can learn the same report was heard within an area of from fifteen to twenty miles. Preceding the concussion, which was so violent as to shake the glass in many of our houses, and even the quicquies in some of our stores, a meteor of considerable magnitude and brilliancy was seen to pass over Wellsville, and seemed to be lost in the distance of the Virginia hills."—Steenbuck's Jour.

Death Under Singular Circumstances.

The Marysville News furnishes an account of a death which occurred under singular circumstances recently, at a place called Delor Gulch: Two men, John Thomas and Ephraim Maringer, made a bet of ten dollars as to who could hold his breath the longest. At the word both drew in their breath, but Maringer soon gave out; Thomas gave no sign or motion to show that he was aware of his having won the wager, but sat with his head bowed upon his breast, still immovable! "Hail, Thomas, old fellow, you've won!" "What are you sitting there for?—Get up and stand treat," some one said to him. Not replying, the company became alarmed. They shook him, raised him from the chair—he was dead! Dr. Springall was immediately called in, but all hopes of resuscitation were gone; life had become entirely extinct. Dr. Springall, assisted by Drs. Wells and Glanville, held a post mortem examination upon the body of the deceased, the result of which showed that the heart had been completely burst asunder, causing death instantly.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 20.—The Court House at Bell Air, Harford county, was nearly destroyed last night by fire. Many of the records of the county were destroyed. The fire was occasioned accidentally. There is no insurance on the property.



THE ADAMS SENTINEL.

GETTYSBURG:

MONDAY, MARCH 1, 1863.

WE want Money, and MUST HAVE IT. We would thank those, therefore, who are indebted to us for years, to fail not in making a remittance within the coming three weeks. The payment of their small bills will enable us to pay off our heavy ones.

New Arrangement of Mails.

In some way or other, a change has been made in the arrival of our southern mail, via Hanover, which is any thing but pleasant and convenient to our citizens. The Postmaster General, we presume, on representations made, extended to New Oxford, the route "Hanover Junction to Hanover," and curtailed the route "Hanover to Gettysburg," making it commence at New Oxford, instead of Hanover. A difficulty has arisen, we learn, on account of the officers of the Hanover Railroad not carrying out the plan as contemplated, and mails and passengers for Gettysburg lie at Hanover for four hours—thus delaying the arrival here in the afternoon, as has been the case, until probably seven o'clock in the evening. This is a great inconvenience, and a petition for a change, numerously signed, has been sent on to the Department.

The New Court-house.

Tuesday last was the day fixed for opening the bids for building the new Court-house. There were some twelve or fifteen bids. Mr. TURNER, of Carlisle, was the successful competitor for the contract, and has agreed to erect the building, agreeably to specification, for \$14,375—receiving the materials of the buildings now on the site. The present Court-house was not included, but will remain until the new one is completed, and the materials then be disposed of by the Commissioners. The new building is to be completed by the 1st of April, 1863. The Commissioners have enlarged it about 15 feet beyond the original plan, and it will now be 60 feet by about 102.

The anniversary of the Birth of Washington was celebrated with more than usual display on Monday last. The day was ushered in by the ringing of bells, martial music, &c., and the whole day appeared to be a gala one. The town was crowded by persons from the country, and there appeared to be very general hilarity and pleasure. The "Blues" paraded morning and afternoon, and in the evening partook of a supper at the Eagle Hotel. The Farewell Address was read in the forenoon, by Lieut. Fahnestock, and an Address delivered by Capt. Buchler. Every thing passed off very pleasantly.

Agreeably to announcement, DAVID A. BUEHLER, Esq., delivered a Lecture before the Young Men's Christian Association, on Monday evening last, in St. James' Church. His subject was "Cromwell." A slight indisposition prevented our attendance; but we learn it was a very creditable lecture, as might be expected from the known literary reputation of Mr. B. The audience was very large.

From various causes, the original programme of Lectures cannot be carried out. The series has been so far modified as to make the following the remaining Lectures of the Course: Prof. Steever, D. Wills, Esq., Rev. R. S. Grier, and Rev. Dr. Baugher. The last named will close the course on the 22d of March.

Prof. Steever will, this evening, deliver his Lecture on "Aaron Burr," in the Methodist Church—having accepted to the earnest request of the officers of the Association.

We are pleased to learn that about five thousand dollars worth of Bonds of the Gettysburg Railroad have been sold to persons residing in the county within a few days past. There is a steadily increasing confidence in the profit and safety of these Bonds, which will induce many who have money to invest, at once to embrace this opportunity of purchasing.

Horrible suspicions having been excited that the Pacific Hotel, the destruction of which will be found noticed in another column, was fired by a man named Taylor, alias Sanders, after murdering Ephraim Doane, one of the inmates, he was arrested on the charge of the double crime. Strader, the landlord, and Waldrup, the watchman, have also been arrested.

Harpers' Magazine, for March, is a beautiful number, and the illustrations numerous. They are principally on the Upper Mississippi, Tropical Journeys, and "The Virginians." This excellent Magazine still maintains its high reputation, and increases in popular favor.

A Harrisburg correspondent of the Philadelphia Mirror gives a horrible account of the state of morals existing in our State capital. He says "the town is overrun with gamblers and prostitutes," and that "it is appalling to witness the bold effrontery of these twin partners in vice and iniquity." Harrisburg must be very much libeled, if there is not more truth than poetry in these statements.

Counterfeit Notes.

Peterson's Philadelphia Counterfeit Detector and Bank Note List, is probably the best and most reliable in the country—being corrected by the celebrated bankers, Drexell & Co. It is published monthly, by T. B. Peterson & Brothers, 306 Chestnut street, Philadelphia. It should be in the hands of every business-man.

The number for March gives a list of 56 new Counterfeits: among which we observe the following new ones on the Bank of Gettysburg:

5c altered—vign. a female, eagle, shield, liberty pole, ship, &c.; Indian with a bow on the left; sailor with a flag on the right.

10c—vign. coat of arms of the State; medallion head of female on each end; the word TEN in large letters across the body of the note.

10c altered—vign. female, water scene. 20c, spurious—genuine have for vign. Washington, eagle and female seated.

From Harrisburg.

In the Senate, on the 18th, Mr. Brewer read a bill in his place for the relief of John L. Schick, late Treasurer of Adams county. This is called for by a difficulty existing in the settlement of his Military accounts with the Auditor General—the latter having refused to allow certain vouchers.

Mr. Brewer also read a bill to incorporate the Mammambug Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Adams county.

In the House, on Monday last, Mr. Will presented a petition from the Commissioners of Adams county, for authority to borrow money and sell certain real estate, and read in place a bill to that effect. This is rendered necessary in view of the erection of the new Court-house.

Fast Work.

An announcement in the Compiler, that a Blacksmith in Reading township had made 120 horse-shoes in one day, has brought out a couple of mechanics, Messrs. JOHN WINTER and THOMAS ELDER, of Franklin township, who inform us, through another individual, that they made 80 shoes in 4 hours and 20 minutes—and they think any person to beat that, will have to work hard.

After an unusually mild winter, we had quite a "cold spell" last week by way of variety. On Tuesday morning, the mercury was 8° below zero—being the coldest of the winter. It has since become moderate again.

The Republican Convention which met at Harrisburg on Monday, after maturely considering the subject relative to which it had convened, concluded to leave the calling of the State Convention to nominate candidates for Judge of the Supreme Court and Canal Commissioner, to the Union State Committee, of which Lemuel Todd is Chairman.

We learn from a source which we deem altogether reliable that the Democratic members of the Senate have concluded not to press the passage of the bill for the admission of Kansas into the Union in the form in which it has been reported to the Senate; but that, when this bill shall come up for consideration, they will so amend it as to declare in express terms that "no provision of the Lecompton Constitution shall be construed or held to interfere with the right of the people of Kansas to alter, amend, or modify the said Constitution at any time, as they may deem expedient and proper."—Nat. Int.

Our Government has fallen into the class of spendthrifts, and is living far beyond its income. It appears by the Report of the Register of the Treasury, made Feb. 12, that the receipts of the United States for the quarter ending 31st Dec., 1857, the entire receipts of the Government were \$7,092,665, and the expenditures \$17,035,653 07; excess of expenditures for three months TEN MILLIONS OF DOLLARS! The probability is that the receipts of the Government during the current year will fall from thirty to forty millions of dollars behind its expenditures. What a beautiful specimen of Democratic economy!

The Democratic Party—it is the Union.—Washington Union.

Is it? We are sorry to hear it. For then the Union is in a poor way. It is no longer "one and inseparable," but badly split and likely to fall to pieces.

May not the President's organ be mistaken? All our hopes rest in this possibility.

Mr. James Gallagher, of Harrisburg, and formerly of Carlisle, has recently fallen heir to a snug little fortune of \$20,000, left him by a considerate relative in the South. Mr. G. has been quite poor, and being an old man, this lucky bit of fortune will be a very gracious thing for him.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.

The difficulty between Messrs. James B. Clay and Gen. Cullom has been adjusted without a resort to arms. It appears that on Monday night an arrangement was made that the two gentlemen should fight with rifles at sixty paces, this morning about day-break. Such a conflict would doubtless have resulted in the death of one or both. Senators Brown, of Miss. and Johnson of Arkansas, on the part of Mr. Clay, and Messrs. Zollhofer and Underwood, on the part of Gen. Cullom, undertook the settlement of the difficulty but failed. The matter was then referred to Senators Toombs and Crittenden, and it was adjusted in this way: Mr. Clay disclaimed any intention of insulting Gen. Cullom, and Cullom apologized for the blow. The numerous friends of these gentlemen will be glad to hear of this consummation.

The President's Message in Kansas.

The Lecompton message of President Buchanan has aroused the most intense excitement among the people of Kansas. In the Territorial Legislature, sitting at the time of its receipt, a bill was passed declaring it felony, punishable with death, for any person to hold office under the fraudulent Constitution. A letter from Kansas, dated February 10, received at this office, informs us that it failed in the Council, which substituted joint resolutions declaring that the passage of the Lecompton Constitution would be regarded by the people of Kansas as a declaration of war. The military organization is actively going on, and preparations are making for a stern resistance in case of its passage.

General Harney and Colonel Sumner.—It is stated that there has recently transpired a correspondence between these two distinguished officers of the army of the United States, in the nature of a challenge from the latter to the former, and that it has resulted in General Harney's preferring charges against Col. Sumner, on which it seems to be supposed that the latter will be court-martialed.

Pardon of Monroe Stewart.—The Governor of Pennsylvania has signed the pardon of Monroe Stewart, convicted in connection with Charlotte Jones and Henry Fife of the murder of Geo. Wilson and Elizabeth Mc Masters, in Allegheny county, Pa. The confession of both Jones and Fife, upon the gallows, freed Stewart from any complicity in the murders, and since then petitions to an enormous extent have flooded in upon the Governor, asking for a pardon. Stewart was under sentence to be hung on Friday last.

A Fiendish Act.—The Columbus Fact of Wednesday last, says:—It appears that yesterday morning, before daylight, some villain placed a rail across the Dayton and Mad River Railroad track, some ten miles south of Wapakoneta. The construction train, with from 25 to 40 laborers and employees, was thrown off; nearly one-half of the laborers were hurt, some seriously. The foreman of the hands, Mr. Tilton, was very badly injured in the head.

The open war which the Administration has commenced against Mr. Douglas and his friends, by the removal of the Postmasters at Chicago and Columbus, recently appointed at their instances, settles the question as to Mr. Buchanan's intentions, and it is thought utterly precludes the possibility of what are called "Douglas Democrats" ever acting again, or being recognized as in fellowship with the old Democratic party.

Removed Rejoicing of the Pope.—By the Africa we learn that a rumor has been afloat in Paris of an anticipated change in the temporal government of Rome, which will create surprise in the mind of every people in Europe. Some talk of the approaching abdication of the Pope as a certain thing, already has Father Ventura been spoken of as his successor. The nomination of the latter to a cardinalate in preparation for this event has frequently been announced. Upon an emergency such a measure would be considered indispensable. As general of the powerful organ of Ignatius, Father Ventura's position would enable him to accept the papal crown without probation.—Phil. Inq.

Robbery of a Lady.—On Tuesday evening a robbery was practiced at the Calvert street station, Baltimore, upon a lady, the wife of a gentleman at Washington. It appears she was en route for Washington from York, Pa., but was delayed at the Calvert station until after the departure of the regular coaches for the hotel. While looking for a cab to convey her to the hotel she was accosted by a couple of fellows, who, under the pretext of asking a question, got possession of a work-box, which they then disappeared. The box contained jewelry, trinkets, &c., of considerable value.

Weight of the Cabinet.—A correspondent of the Boston Journal says: "The present cabinet is composed of 'men of weight,' as I noticed to-day on a register of the weight of visitors kept at the Smithsonian Institution. Howell Cobb is set down at 217½ pounds; Governor Brown at 177; Secretary Toney at 166; Secretary Thompson at 147; and Governor Floyd at 129. I should judge that General Cass will weigh nearly 200 pounds, although he is not as fleshy as he was a few years since. He is very active for one of his age, and walks to the Department of State almost every morning without an overcoat, and with an elastic step.

Heavy Operations.—Pickpockets were exceedingly busy at Richmond, Va., last Monday, in relieving strangers of their spare change. The Dispatch states that seven men and three ladies were robbed of various amounts, ranging from \$5 to \$500. During the delivery of Mr. Everett's oration, on Tuesday, several persons in the crowd had their pockets picked. One of them lost \$2,500 in drafts and money, another \$35, and a third \$110.

Judge Kane, of the United States Circuit Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania for a number of years past, but better known to the country as the father of the Arctic explorer, Dr. Kane, died at Philadelphia on Sunday evening.

Monroe Stewart, the condemned murderer, at Pittsburg, who has just been pardoned, is under an indictment for another murder.

Warlike Legislation in Kansas.—The

bill which recently passed the house of Delegates of Kansas, to amend the constitution, by adding to the Lecompton constitution, has been introduced in the Council or Senate. The latter body, however, subsequently unanimously adopted the following resolutions: "Resolved, That in the event of such admission, we, in behalf of the people of the Territory, as reflecting their fixed and unalterable determination upon this subject, will view the same as a declaration of war; and relying upon the justice of our cause, and the united strength of those who are bound to us by their sympathies and interests, both East and West, we will go into the fight, despite the disparity of our position, for extermination or success."

Volunteers for Utah.—A bill has been unanimously passed by the Kentucky Legislature, and signed by the Governor, authorizing the Executive of that State to raise a regiment of volunteers immediately, and to tender their services to the President of the United States, to suppress the rebellion in Utah. Col. Crittenden, Major Hawkins, and others, all of Mexican war experience, are to be the officers.

President Buchanan says Panch, had better not throw away powder and shot on the Mormons. Let him send them fashion books. The necessities of crinolines destroy polygamy. It will render Brigham Young himself unable to support more wives than one.

Fun Carried almost too Far.—A party of youngsters recently got up a sham duel in Philadelphia, between two young bucks about town. It appears that at a party recently given one of the young men threw a glass of wine into the face of the other. This insult was resented by sending a challenge to the insulted. The challenge was accepted, and a pair of pistols near skin to blunderbusses in respect to size, were prepared for the occasion. The parties went to the spot selected, the ground measured off, and at the word both fired. The challenged party immediately fell, a handkerchief stained with rose pink was flourished, and at the same moment an individual wearing a tin star hove in sight. The wearer of the star was construed into an officer, the rose pink was taken for blood, and the challenger took to his heels most ingloriously, and never stopped until he reached home, not far from the United States Mint, where he wrote a note stating that he had killed a man in a duel, and that he would have to flee the country. He has not since been heard from.

Mrs. Major Bliss.—We notice that Mrs. Bliss, widow of the late Major Bliss, U. S. Army, and daughter of Gen. Taylor, the ex-President, was married on the 11th ult. to Philip P. Dandridge, Esq., of Virginia. The marriage took place at New Orleans.

A Dr. Jackson at the Syracuse Dress Reform Convention, in favor of short petticoats, told the audience that "he had seen fifteen hundred women take off the long skirts and put on the short skirts." This is coming nearer to the naked truth than usual.

Thirty women of Fredericksburg, Wayne county, Ohio, made the tour of that village last week and destroyed the liquor in the tavern and two grog shops. The leaders of the women were two who had suffered with drunken husbands.

The Grand Jury of a town in Ohio have presented the "Sewing Society" of the place as a "nuisance." Perhaps the jurors were all folks who got the mitten from the girls, and were not allowed to see them home.

Practical Christianity.—The Young Men's Christian Association of Pittsburg has distributed 23,000 bushels of coal to the poor, without any reference to sect, class or nation. It supplied, in one day, forty families with fuel to keep them comfortable a month. Nearly 5,000 persons have been kept comfortable during the winter through the efforts of this society. This is practical Christianity.

Sectarian Bitterness.—It is said that religious animosity rages in some parts of Ireland with the most unparalleled intensity. At Casteelbar, both Catholic and Protestant soldiers go armed to their respective places of worship.

A Conspiracy Against Urinoline.—The missions of Straubing, in Bavaria, are the victims of a terrible conspiracy, the young men of the place having pledged themselves not to dance with any girl during the carnival who wears urinoline.

The Memphis (Tenn.) papers state as a cause of the hard times with them, that fully \$4,000,000 worth of cotton, which naturally seeks a market in that city, is retained in the hands of planters, awaiting an appreciation in value.

A mechanic of Chicago has become heir to £40,000, or \$200,000, by the will of a relative lately deceased in Australia, and the will is in the hands of a gentleman of this city having extensive practice in the prosecution of claims for heirs, to whom has been given the recovery of the estate.—Chicago Journal.

Bidly.—The latest instance of the aristocratic notion of female servants that have been heard recently, occurred in this city a few days ago. One Irish girl left her situation as soon as she discovered that the house was not supplied with water pipes. She said "she could not remain in a family that were so old fashioned as to pump the water they used." In another instance a foreign maid left a good place because she said "she had always been accustomed to live with people who used their silver tea set every day." She therefore declined a place where the silver set was used only on extra occasions.

The Franklin Railroad.—The Hagerstown Herald mentions a rumor that the Hon. Simon Cameron has obtained the control of this work. If so, it thinks there is the best prospect of its being completed.

By the "Adams Sentinel."

1. One fifth of the name of a county in Pa.
2. The ninth of the name of a town in Mass.
3. One fourth of the name of one of the States.
4. One ninth of the name of one of the W. States.
5. One half of the name of an ancient city.
6. The ninth letter of the name of the capital of one of the Middle States.
7. One fifth of the name of a country in Africa.
8. One fifth of the name of a river in Germany.

These letters combined will give the name of an indispensable article.

For the "Adams Sentinel."

1. TRANSPORTATION.
2. ACHILLOUS, an ancient discoverer.
3. AGRICULTURE, a patriot.
4. COLUMBUS, a town in Penna.
5. CLIMNOGY, a county in Pennsylvania.
6. LINNPORT, one of the arts.
7. AMNOPORT, a pleasant study.

ISAAC E. WIERMAN, Esq., of Huntington township, has been appointed Associate Judge for Adams county, in the room of Dr. HORNER, deceased.

Hotel Burnt and Loss of Life.

St. Louis, Feb. 21.—A fire broke out in the Pacific Hotel, about three o'clock this morning, causing the greatest consternation among the boarders. There were in the house about one hundred persons, between forty and fifty of whom are missing. The following are the names of those who it is thus far ascertained are among the killed:

Henry H. Rochester and Thomas H. Strong, of Rochester; H. M. Gregg, Charles Davis, William Cunningham, George A. Crane, Evan J. Watkins, Mr. Johnson, of Michigan; Ephraim Doane, of Chicago, and Miss Hunter. Missing and supposed to be dead: Bruce McNutt, Burkhardt Wiest, Paul Stierell, William Taylor, J. Wagner, Dr. Lord, of Cincinnati. The bodies of others have been found and taken out of the ruins, but so much burnt that they cannot be identified. Severely injured, Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard, of Boston, (the latter fatally), Eliza Hayes, William W. Torrence, Mr. Sharpe, Mrs. Jonathan Jones.

The fire originated in the drug store under the hotel, and the flames spread so rapidly that before the inmates could be aroused the staircases were enveloped in flames, and all egress was cut off excepting by the windows. Many leaped from the third story, and were either terribly mangled or instantly killed. Many were unable even to reach the windows, and were burnt to death in their rooms. Several bodies are supposed to be now in the ruins, and hundreds of excited men are energetically at work in removing the rubbish. The wounded are promptly taken in charge by their friends or sent to the hospitals where their injuries are immediately attended to. Several of the injured cannot possibly live. The loss of property is estimated at \$50,000.

An Inhuman Husband.

A correspondent of the St. John (N. B.) Morning News, writing from Armstrong's Brook, says that a brute named McLennan, a resident of Heron Island, during one of the coldest blowy days of this winter, drove his sick wife (a delicate little woman) off her bed and out of doors, swearing that he would kill her with the axe he had in his hand if she refused to go. Her son, a boy of sixteen, was absent at school at the time, but immediately on arriving home and hearing the circumstances, he set out in pursuit of his mother, and found her within a quarter of a mile of home a frigid corpse. She had attempted to cross on the ice to the main, but her strength was unequal to the task, and thus she perished. McLennan has been arrested and lodged in jail to await trial.

An English Heiress taking the Veil.

Miss Hales, the owner of the Hales estate, Canterbury, took the veil as a novice of the order of Carmelite Nuns, on Wednesday the 8th of January. The ceremony was performed with all the external pomp in which the Church of Rome delights, in the chapel of the Carmelite Convent in Paris. Miss Hales was dressed in white, and wore orange blossoms in her hair. The Archbishop of Paris officiated, assisted by many other dignitaries of the Church.—Miss Hales, who by this act shut herself out from the world at the age of 22, took the vow of Poverty, Obedience, and Chastity, with the utmost willingness—all her possessions of the utmost value—after her determination being utterly fruitless. A great many of her friends were present at the ceremony; and her mother, being among them, was deeply affected whilst witnessing the ceremony which took from her the only child of her widowhood.—Miss Hales intends making over the whole of her estates—roughly valued at £150,000—to the Church of Rome; only excepting a small annuity to her mother. She had from her youth been completely under the influence of the Romish clergy; hence her determination to immerse herself in a convent, and to enrich the Church of Rome with

Terrible Explosion in Cincinnati.
Methodist Church Destroyed by the Explosion of Gas—Several Persons Injured.
CINCINNATI, Feb. 20.—Last evening, about 7 o'clock, the Methodist Protestant Church on Sixth street, near Race, was partly destroyed by the explosion of defective gas pipes. At the hour mentioned some fifteen persons were assembled in the basement for meeting, when a strong odor was felt, and an effort was made to discover the leakage. A light was applied to the metre, when the blast burst forth, but was extinguished by a bucket of water. Quiet was almost restored, when the explosion took place, tearing up the floor, shattering the walls, and making a wreck of the basement. More than half the pews in the church were torn up, windows were blown out, and portions of the floor blown as high as the ceiling. Doors were forced from their hinges and blown into the street. The explosion was heard at a distance of half a mile. The windows of many buildings in the vicinity were destroyed. Eight or ten persons were severely wounded, and two or three of them are not expected to survive.

Preparations of the Mormons for the Spring Campaign.

St. Louis, Feb. 20.—The Independence correspondent of the Republican, under date of the 16th inst., says that the Salt Lake mail arrived there last night. Conductor Duvor reports the same from one to six feet deep on the mountains, and the weather intensely cold. He left Camp Scott January 1, and the troops there were in good spirits, earnestly wishing to make a descent on Salt Lake City.

From the Mormon prisoners and struggling Utah Indians Colonel Johnson was well advised of the movements of the Saints, who were making active preparations to continue their resistance to the troops in the Spring. Their municipal regulations were very stringent, and they looked with suspicion upon everybody the least inclined to favor the action of the United States Government. Governor Cumming was performing the duties of his office, as far as he was able. The outward bound mails were making good progress, and the many Indians whom they met manifested friendly feelings.

Attempted Escape of Prisoners—Three Shot.

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—On Thursday evening, while the convicts in the State prison, at Sing Sing, were sitting in the mess room for supper, five of them made a rush for the river, which is frozen over, thinking to escape on the ice. They were pursued and fired upon by the guards, and all brought back, when three were found to be wounded. John Spence, the well-known companion and pal of Mable Hodges, had received five balls, Pete Devlin, sent up for receiving stolen goods, two balls, and Quinn, a fourth ward burglar, got four bullets. The other two were not injured. Spence and Quinn are badly hurt, and will probably die.

Sudden Death in a Church.

Singular Circumstance.—The funeral of the venerable Jose Anthony was attended from the North Second Street Methodist Church on Thursday. The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. Washburne. At the conclusion of the discourse, an old gentleman, Rev. Samuel Howe, of Lansingburgh, a superannuated member of the Troy conference, rose near the pulpit and proposed to say a few words in reference to the deceased. He stated he knew him well, and life-long, and concluded by remarking, "I am seventy-eight years old; my feet are near those of Brother Anthony; and I shall soon join him."

The congregation was dismissed in the usual manner, a portion of those in attendance following the corpse to the grave, and others returning to their homes. Mr. Howe left the main room of the Church, and entered the basement, where, seating himself in a rocking chair, he almost immediately expired. The cause of his death was probably a disease of the heart, irritated and quickened by the excitement of the occasion. The sad event caused a profound sensation among the members of the congregation, to whom he was well known.

Extraordinary Shooting Match.

The following match has been made between Mr. Travis and Saml. A. Saydam, of New York city. Travis bets Saydam \$1000 that he will find a boy who will stand at the distance of ten paces, and place an orange, not to exceed two and a half inches in diameter, in each hand, and one upon his head, which he (Travis) will shoot from their respective localities. No object to intervene. If Travis fails to find the orange who will stand, or fail to hit the orange in the three shots, or at any shot touches the boy, he loses the bet. The match to be shot in Louisville, June 15th, 1858.

A Gallant Girl.—The Boston Journal says that on Tuesday last a young man, named Edw'd P. Weston, of Providence, R. I., was skating on Jamaica Pond, when he broke through the ice and fell into the water beyond his depth. He had remained in this situation some five minutes, clinging to the edge of the ice for support, when his perilous position was observed by Miss Dunbar, a young lady residing in Roxbury, who immediately hastened to his assistance and succeeded in rescuing him from a watery grave.

Advice to Young Ladies.—Do you wish to preserve a clear and healthy complexion, without the use of deleterious cosmetics or drugs, and escape the penalty and expense of doctor's bills? If you do, go to bed early, rise early, take plenty of exercise in the open air, and do not spend a majority of any day in sewing by hand. Sewing by hand has been a greater cause of the destruction of health than any other employment the sex engage in, and now that the day for its necessity has gone by, it would be suicidal for any young lady, who can persuade her father to purchase for her one of Grover & Baker's Sewing Machines, to sew by hand, and thus become a slave at the expense of her health. The Grover & Baker Machine is easily managed by any person of ordinary intelligence, will not get out of order, and sews a stronger and more beautiful seam than can be done by hand. It is the only machine in the market that has given entire satisfaction to the families using it, inasmuch as its work will not rip, even if every third stitch be cut.

Reads Off.
The President has removed Mr. Price, Postmaster at Chicago, and re-appointed Mr. Cook his immediate predecessor. He has also removed Mr. Miller, Postmaster at Columbus, Ohio, and appointed Ex-Governor Medary in his place. Both Price and Miller were appointed during the recess of Congress, but had rendered themselves obnoxious by taking the Douglas shute on the Kansas question.

It is now more and more evident, that the breach between the Leocomptonites and the Douglas branch of the democracy is irreconcilable. The former have at their head President Buchanan, armed with all the power and patronage of the government. The latter have simply the pledges of the party, and that good faith which should exist between man and man, to sustain them. The removal of the Post Masters at Chicago and Columbus, will be the signal gun for war. Mr. Forney, in the Daily Press, alluding to these removals, on the 18th ult. says:

WHERE ARE WE DRIFTING?—Yesterday's intelligence, that the Committee of Investigation raised in the National House of Representatives on the motion of Mr. Harris, of Illinois, had decided by a majority vote—that majority created by Mr. Speaker Orr, in direct violation of usage, as well as of parliamentary law—to restrict examination into the Kansas frauds, adds another lod to the mountain of injustice which has accumulated since it has been decided to deprive the people of Kansas of their rights. The same despatch from Washington announces the removal of two distinguished Democrats from office, no doubt *anonymously* because they oppose the *inflection* of the Leocompton Constitution upon the people of Kansas. These are Mr. Price, the postmaster of Chicago, Ill., and Mr. Miller, postmaster at Columbus, Ohio. It is apparent, therefore, first, that the vote of the House of Representatives, in favor of a full and thorough exposure of the frauds of the minority in Kansas, is to be disregarded and defeated; and, second, that every Democrat who differs from this scandalous injustice, or from the platform of the enemies of the Union on the Leocompton Constitution—we mean the pro slavery leaders of the extreme South—is to be read out of the Democratic party.

The annals of politics will be ransacked in vain for a parallel to these extraordinary proceedings. We begin to doubt whether, indeed, this is a land of liberty and of law. That which was the Administration policy in June and July has become the Administration's detestation in February.

Gen. Houston said in his recent speech in the Senate, that the number of regular troops in Texas had averaged three thousand for some years past; that they were entirely useless for any purpose of repressing Indian hostilities, and that it cost more to transport provisions for them to the posts they occupy, than it would to maintain an efficient force of one thousand rangers.

Grain at Chicago.—It is stated that there are about one million bushels of wheat in store, and about sixty thousand barrels of flour at Chicago. Wheat is selling at 35c55 cents. It is the general opinion that two million bushels of grain will be ready there for transportation upon the opening of navigation.

Five Steamboats Burned at New Orleans.
NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 21.—A very destructive conflagration occurred among the steamers laid up opposite this city, this morning. The Virginian, Montauk, James Montgomery, W. V. Sherman and S. S. Premium were destroyed.

The loss is estimated at \$480,000, and is partially covered by insurance.

Arrest of a Notorious Burglar at Baltimore.
BALTIMORE, Feb. 20.—A notorious burglar, Captain Green, alias James Gallagher, was arrested last night, while engaged in robbing the warehouse of P. Sauerwein & Son, of over \$300 in coin. The money was found in his possession.

The Markets.

BALTIMORE—Friday last.
Flour, 4 25 to 4 37
Wheat, 1 08 to 1 12
Rye, 55 to 57
Corn, 30 to 32
Oats, 23 to 25
Cloverseed, 5 37 to 5 50
Timothy seed, 2 50 to 2 75
Beef Cattle, 7 00 to 9 50
Hay, (in bundles), 10 00 to 14 00
Do. (loose), 12 00 to 13 00

NEW YORK—Friday last.
Flour, per bushel, 4 00
Wheat, per bushel, 85 to 1 00
Rye, 60
Corn, 48
Oats, 24
Clover Seed, 5 75
Timothy Seed, 1 50
Plaster Paris, per ton, 6 50

HANOVER—Thursday last.
Flour, (from Wagons), 34 00
Wheat, per bushel, 87 to 1 00
Rye, 60
Corn, 48
Oats, 24
Clover Seed, 5 75
Timothy Seed, 1 50
Clover Seed, 4 50

Township Meeting.
THERE will be a meeting of the American Citizens at the Public School house in Benderville, on Saturday Evening the 13th of March, at 6 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of nominating a Township Ticket. All who are in favor of "America Ruling America," and all who are opposed to the present Administration, are requested to meet and take part in said meeting.

TIN-WARE, of every description, on hand and for sale at GEO. E. BUEHLER'S, in Chambersburg street.

STONE PIPE, of all sizes, made to order at BUEHLER'S, in Chambersburg street.

HOUSE SPOUTING and TIN ROOFING, BUEHLER'S, in Chambersburg street.

TIN MILK PANS, of all sizes, on hand and made to order, at BUEHLER'S, in Chambersburg street.

THE ADAMS SENTINEL AND GENERAL ADVERTISER.

Married.
On the 25th ult., by the Rev. Jacob Ziegler, Mr. WM. K. TURNER to Miss ISABELLA M. SINGLEY, both of Hamiltonian township.
On the 18th ult., by the Rev. G. Roth, Mr. JACOB WALTER to Miss LUCINDA MARY STOVER—both of Hamiltonian township.
On the 16th ult., by the Rev. Jacob Seebler, Mr. WM. PARK to Miss JANE SPONSLER—both of this county.
On the same day, by the Rev. L. Gerhard, Mr. AMOS LAUGH, of Oxford township, to Miss LOUISA S., daughter of Peter Diehl, Esq., of New Oxford.
On the 17th ult., by the same, Mr. PETER BATTORFF, of Strabon township, to Miss LENA HAVERSTOCK, of Mountpleasant township.
On the 14th ult., by the same, Mr. HENRY ROSE, to Miss SUSAN PALMER—both of this county.

Wied.
Yesterday morning, at the residence of his father, (Mr. Ephraim Martin), in this place, THOMAS MARTIN, Esq., aged 41 years and 6 months. The funeral will take place at 2 o'clock this afternoon, to proceed to Ever Green Cemetery.

The members of Gettys Lodge, I. O. O. F., will meet at their Hall at a quarter before 2 o'clock, to attend the funeral of Mr. Martin.

On Tuesday last, the 23d ult., in Butler township, Mr. JACOB S. WEIDNER, aged 38 years and 20 days.
On the 17th ult., Mt. THOMAS WILL, of Mountpleasant township, aged about 70 years. On Saturday evening the 13th ult., at Fairfield, Adams county, Mrs. CATHARINE FRONZ, in the 75th year of her age.

NOTICE.

Estate of Dr. David Horner.
LETTERS of Administration on the estate of Dr. DAVID HORNER, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, deceased, having been granted to the subscribers, residing in the same Borough, they hereby give notice to all persons indebted to said Estate, to call with them and settle the same; and those who have claims, are desired to present the same, properly authenticated, for settlement.

CHARLES HORNER, ROBERT HORNER, Adm's.

March 1.—Gt.

NOTICE.

Estate of Catharine Fronz, deceased.
LETTERS Testamentary on the Estate of CATHARINE FRONZ, late of Fairfield, Hamiltonian township, Adams county, deceased, having been granted to the subscribers, residing in the Borough of Gettysburg, he hereby gives notice to those indebted to said Estate to call and settle the same, and those who have claims, are desired to present them, properly authenticated, for settlement.

WM. B. MEALS, Esq., Gt.

TO THE FARMERS.

We, the undersigned, Auditors to settle and adjust the Public Accounts, do hereby certify that we have examined the items which compose the account, and that they are correct—being from the 6th of January, 1857, to the 5th of January, 1858—both days inclusive.

JOHN HAUPMAN, C. CASHMAN, ISAAC HERITER, Adm's.
Jan. 5.

JOHN SCOTT, Esq., (late Steward) in account with Directors of the Poor and the House of Employment of the County of Adams, being from the 5th of Jan., 1857, to the 1st of April, 1857.

DR.
To balance due on settlement, Jan. 6th, 1857, \$7 95
Cash found with deceased paupers, 1 60
Cash rec'd for Tallow, Lard & Poultry, 83 87
Cash for Hides from John Gilbert, 85 56
" Two Horses, 150 00
" Cow and yearling Calf, 35 00
\$368 98

CR.
By general expenses, 49 72
Superintending building, coffins furnished, and other extra services, 188 00
Cash paid J. B. Danner, Treas'r, 126 26
\$368 98

We, the subscribers, Auditors to settle and adjust the Public Accounts, do hereby certify that we have examined the items which compose the above account, and do report that the same is correct: the same embracing the account of John Scott, former Steward, from the 5th of January, 1857, to the 31st of March, 1857, both days inclusive.

JOHN HAUPMAN, C. CASHMAN, ISAAC HERITER, Adm's.
JACOB CULP, Esq., in account with the Directors of the House of Employment of the County of Adams, being from the 1st of April, 1857, to the 6th of January, 1858.

DR.
To sundry orders from Directors, \$150 00
Cash for lard, 50
Cloverseed, from F. Wolf, 1 75
Walnut Boards, J. Z. Hollibaugh, 5 00
1 week's boarding G. Gardner, 2 00
Walnut Boards, Norbeck & Riley, 3 75
1 Chest, from G. Gardner, 1 50
On note from Abraham Brian, Interest due Eliza White, from A. Polley, 9 87
Henry Munshower's estate, 74 98
Old copper kettle, 3 37
Catharine Ross's estate, 25
For Timothy seed, 3 50
George Hon, balance on land, 20 00
John Winchester, due bill, 32 42
Do. 3 calf skins, 2 60
David Wilder, old iron, 1 87
For tallow, 2 15
\$350 62

CR.
By general expenses, 122 29
Cash paid male & female hirelings, in & out-door, harvesting, butchering, &c., 183 02
For Grave digging, 1 50
Funeral expenses, 20 75
Sheep, 19 00
Coffins, 2 25
Relief to out-door paupers, 11 00
Vegetables and fruit, 4 04
Leather to Winebrenner, 38 22
Balance in hands of Steward, 3 54
\$351 32

We, the subscriber, Auditors to settle and adjust the public accounts, do hereby

certify

POOR-HOUSE ACCOUNTS.

JOEL B. DANNER, Esq., Treasurer, in account with the Directors of the Poor & of the House of Employment of the County of Adams, being from the 6th day of January, A. D. 1857, to the 6th day of January, A. D. 1858.

DR.
Jan. 8. To order on J. L. Schick, County Treasurer, \$500 00
23. Do. 400 00
Feb. 8. Do. 500 00
20. Do. 200 00
Mar. 10. Do. 600 00
31. Cash from John Scott, former Steward, 126 26
Do. from Wely, 40 00
April 17. Order on J. L. Schick, Co. Treasurer, 400 00
May 5. Do. 500 00
26. Do. 500 00
Jul. 14. Do. 600 00
Aug. 5. Do. 400 00
21. Do. 500 00
Sep. 21. Do. 500 00
Oct. 16. Do. 1000 00
27. Do. 300 00
Dec. 7. Cash of George Cordori, 50 00
8. Order on J. L. Schick, Co. Treasurer, 600 00
Cash of George Hoos, 20 00
\$8636 26
1858, Jan. 5. Balance due Treas., 125 17
\$8761 43

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By Cash paid out as follows: Out-door paupers' support, \$1023 00
Merchandise and Groceries, 1506 98
Pork and Stock Hogs, 548 86
Beef, Cattle, Sheep and Horses, 1412 38
Flour, Grain and Grinding, 1149 16
Mechanics' work, 1001 18
Blanks, 63 15
Stone Coal, Plaster, Lime, Guano and Hauling, 269 76
Drugs and Medicines, 69 06
Removing Paupers, 3 60
Wood chopping, making rails, post fence, &c., 112 35
Subscription to Gettysburg R. R. Extension, 500 00
Court Costs to Commonwealth, 5 95
Steward's sundry expenses, 150 00
Male hirelings, 213 38
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Flour, Grain and Grinding, 1149 16
Mechanics' work, 1001 18
Blanks, 63 15
Stone Coal, Plaster, Lime, Guano and Hauling, 269 76
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Removing Paupers, 3 60
Wood chopping, making rails, post fence, &c., 112 35
Subscription to Gettysburg R. R. Extension, 500 00
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Female hirelings, 170 12
Physician's salary, 100 00
Council fees, 10 00
Steward's salary, 11 years, 312 50
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Clark's salary, 40 00
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CALL AT PICKING'S,

IF YOU WANT BARGAINS!

New Clothing & Variety Store.

FRANKLIN E. PICKING.

THE pleasure of announcing to the citizens of Adams county, that he has opened a NEW STORE, in the room formerly occupied by D. Middlecott, on Chambersburg at a few doors east of the "Eagle Hotel," and immediately opposite the English Lutheran Church, where he will be pleased to see his friends.

I have just returned from Philadelphia with the largest and best assortment of

Ready-made Clothing. I am prepared to sell at prices no low as to astonish. My Stock consists, in part, of OVERCOATS, FROCK & DRESS COATS, of every description and variety, PANTALOONS & VESTS, of all kinds and prices, for Men's and Boy's wear, Shirts, Suits, Boots, Cuffs, Collars, Under-shirts, Drawers; Socks, Handkerchiefs, Suspenders, Caps, Bags, Umbrellas, Trunks, Buffalo Over-shoes, Gun-shoes, eight-day and thirty-hour clocks, Guitars, Accordeons, Violins, a large assortment of JEWELRY, choice Sugars and Tobacco, Canned, in short every thing belonging to a well assorted CLOTHING and VARIETY STORE.

Call and see me. No trouble to show Goods. All I ask is an examination of my Goods and prices.

F. B. PICKING.

Gettysburg, Oct. 19.

NEW GOODS!

NEW ESTABLISHMENT!

JACOBS & BROTHER.

RESPECTFULLY inform their friends and the public generally, that they have opened a **Wholesale Tailoring Establishment** in the room recently occupied by A. Arnold, in South Baltimore street, near the Diamond, where they will at all times be happy to accommodate all who may patronize them. Their stock of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vests, Casimere, Corda, Summer Goods, &c., is large and a select from the latest styles—all of which they will dispose of at prices as low as they can possibly afford, their system being to sell **CHEAP**, for cash or country produce.

They will make up garments of every description in the most substantial and durable manner, all warranted to fit and not to rip. Goods brought of them not to be made up in their establishment will be cut free of charge. They are making up a lot of

READY-MADE CLOTHING. in the best manner, which they will sell as cheap as the cheapest.

They also have on hand a large assortment of **Hosiery, Suspenders, Shirts, Shirt Collars, &c.**, to which they would call the attention of the public.

The Latest Fashions regularly received. Cash or Country Produce always current for Goods or Work. Don't mistake the place. June 2.

GRAND SHOW - GETTYSBURG.

M. Samson, Manager & Proprietor.

Doors open at 6 o'clock. A. M. Performance to commence immediately after.

Prices of Admission.

Adults, FREE.

Children (under 12 years of age) - Half Price.

Grand Complimentary Benefit TO THE PUBLIC!

THE subscriber, thankful for past favors, respectfully informs the inhabitants of Gettysburg and surrounding country, of the fact that he has just received from the New York American SLEIGHT OF STOCK OF GOODS, which he is determined to sell at astonishingly low rates for CASH. In return for the liberal patronage bestowed upon him, he will give a Grand Complimentary Benefit, on which occasion will be presented TWO MAGNIFICENT PICTURES.

On Wednesday, October 28,

and every day until further notice, will be presented the very popular Comedy of

GOOD FITS,

with the following arrival cast:

Fashionable Clothing from the finest to the lowest-priced qualities:

Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods, in great variety:

Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, &c., to suit all tastes.

AN INTERVIEWING OF TEN MINUTES to allow those making large purchases time for lunch, &c., &c.

The whole to conclude with M. Samson's successful Play, entitled

VARIETIES,

the beauty of which will cause great excitement among the ladies and gentlemen.

Gettysburg, Oct. 26.

GREAT EXCITEMENT!

Bringman & Aughinbaugh Still Ahead!

TAKE notice, that we have just received a new and splendid lot of

Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes, which we offer to the public CHEAPER than ever, having put our stock down to the lowest living prices. Under these arrangements we can put our goods within the reach of all, as regards Style, Quality and Price.

Our motto is "Quick Sale of Goods before purchasing elsewhere. Remember the sign of the

"BIG BOOT."

Chambersburg street, below Buehler's Drug Store.

Boots and Shoes made upon the shortest notice and by the best of workmen.

Oct. 19.

Prepare for Winter.

BUFFALO, SEAL SKIN, LION SKIN

and Whirlpool Overcoats, Talmes Raglans and Loops, in short every new style of Overcoats; also, Frock, Dress and Business Coats; Pants and Vests, of insurmountable pattern and style, suitable for old and plain men, as well as for gay, and boys. All these are to be had at

SAMSON'S.

FOR the newest styles of Goods, always call at

SCHICK'S.

TOBACCO and Segars of the finest quality at

COBEAN & PAXTON'S.

QUEENSWARE—Persons wishing to purchase Queensware, will do well by examining the large and well selected assortment at

H. S. & E. H. MINNIGH'S.

GROCERIES.—If you want a good assortment of Groceries, such as Syrup, Molasses, Sugar and Coffee, you will do well by examining the assortment at

H. S. & E. H. MINNIGH.

HARDWARE STORE.

Pamper & Brother.

RESPECTFULLY inform their friends and the public, that they have constantly on hand, at their Store in Baltimore street, and are regularly receiving every variety of Hardware, Iron, Steel, Cutlery, Springs, Axes, Coach Trimmings, Saddlery, CEDAR WARE, SHOE FINDINGS, OILS, PAINTS, DYE-STUFFS, GROCERIES, including every description of articles in the above line of business—to which they invite the attention of Cooksmen, Butlers, Carpenters, Cabinet makers, Blacksmiths, Shoemakers, and the public generally. Their stock having been selected with great care, and purchased for Cash, they guarantee (for the ready money) to dispose of any part of it on as reasonable terms as they can be purchased anywhere.

Feb. 18.

Great Rush to Jacobs & Brother.

NEAR the Post-Office, to see the stocks of Clothing, Cassimeres, Vestings, &c., which they have just received from the City, as well as the first class lot of Ready-made Clothing now on hand—Over Coats, Dress, Frock and Sack Coats, Pants and Vests.

Don't forget that for anything in the men's line of wear, you can never go amiss by calling at JACOBS'. If you want a fine coat, or Pants, or Vest, rely upon it you cannot be better accommodated anywhere, either as to quality, make, or price. So with middle, or low-priced Goods. They offer a variety stock, and defy competition. They will sell Ready-made Clothing, all of their own making-up, at prices as low as City Clothing, which are as apt to rip and give away. They are PRACTICAL TAILORS themselves, and can turn out nothing but what they know to be well gotten up. Give them a call—look at their Stock—and if you are not pleased there is no harm done. No trouble to show goods.

The latest New York and Philadelphia Fashions received.

Nov. 16.

CHEAP CLOTHING.

GEO. ARNOLD & CO. have now on hand, at their Clothing Emporium, a large stock of Ready-made Clothing, all of their own getting up, made out of their own cloths, and warranted to be made in the very best manner and style; among which are Dress Coats of every variety, Overcoats, Pantaloons, Vests, Monks of cloths, &c., also Blue, Olive, Brown, Charret, Drab and Green Coats for Over-coats, with trimmings to suit, sold cheap; also, cheap Cassimeres, Casimere, Jeans, Corda and men's wear generally. We have just received the Fall Fashions, and have hands constantly employed cutting out and making up, and if we cannot please you in a garment made to order, we will take your measure and make you a suit on short notice. Call and see us. The above Goods will be sold cheap for CASH.

Oct. 19.

J. L. SCHICK

HAS just received from the City an immense stock of FALL and WINTER GOODS, of all varieties and prices, to which he invites the attention of Ladies and Gentlemen. COME AND SEE!

Oct. 19.

COBEAN & PAXTON

HAVE just received from the City with, and are now opening, the largest stock of HATS, CAPS, BOOTS & SHOES ever opened in Gettysburg, and are selling at low prices.

Oct. 19.

COOK STOVES.

FOUR styles of Cook Stoves—the Noble Cook, Royal Cook, William Penn, and the Sea Shell—for sale at the War Room of SHEARDS & BUEHLER.

Oct. 19.

Ladies This Way!

COBEAN & PAXTON have a large and well selected stock of Ladies' Misses', and Children's Shoes, Gaiters and Slippers of all kinds, and at all prices. No trouble to show Goods.

Cheap Dress Goods.

YOU will find the hand-some and cheap LADIES' DRESS GOODS & LONG SHAWLS in town at the Store of GEORGE ARNOLD & CO.

Oct. 19.

Home-made Shoes.

ALWAYS on hand, and made to order, by the best of workmen at COBEAN & PAXTON'S Cheap Hat, Cap, Boot and Shoe Store.

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GAS BURNERS.

A NEW and excellent style of Coal Stoves, for Parlor or Chamber use. It is especially intended for chambers as it consumes the gas, and thus removes one of the objections to the use of coal. A scuttle of coal will burn for 48 hours without regulating. Call and see it.

SHEARDS & BUEHLER.

Confections.

A fine assortment just received, among which are Mint, Lemon, Hour-bread and Cough Candies. Also, Cordial, Wine, Gum, Licorice, Strawberry, Cream, Acid, Pine-Apple, Jeany Laid, and Brandy Drops, besides a large supply of sick candies at

W. M. BOYER & SONS.

CLOVES!—Lemon and Gout's' dark, high and black KID GLOVES of all quality.

Also Silk, Cotton, Worsted, Berlin and Black gloves can be found at the cheap Dry Good Store of

H. S. & E. H. MINNIGH.

To Builders.

HAVING increased our stock of Hardware, such as Paints, Glass, &c. We are prepared to offer very great inducements to persons building.

FAHNESTOCK BROTHERS.

Celery.

OF the finest quality, fresh from the City kept constantly for sale at SCOTT'S.

A SUPERIOR article of Black Lead for blackening Stoves, for sale by

SHEARDS & BUEHLER.

FLOUR & FEED, for sale by GILLESPIE & THOMAS.

RAISINS.—We have bunch Raisins which are hard to beat. Call and see for yourselves.

BOYER & SON.

Sugar, Coffee & Molasses.

A good assortment of Sugar, Coffee & Molasses, which we will sell as low as the lowest. Call and see these articles and then judge for yourselves. For sale at the Grocery and Confection Store of

BOYER & SON.

JUST RECEIVED—A large lot of Blotch-

ing, all of which we offer at reduced prices.

H. S. & E. H. MINNIGH.

JEWELRY & STATIONERY—any quantity of the best and most elegant brought to this place. If you doubt it call in and see for yourselves—

SCHICK'S.

FACT—MONEY SAVED by buying Hats, Caps, Boots & Shoes at BRINGMAN & AUGHINBAUGH'S.

DAILY LINE TO HANOVER.

Extra Accommodation.

THE undersigned returns his thanks to the public for the encouragement heretofore extended to him, and takes pleasure in announcing that he has completed arrangements by which

TWO DAILY LINES

of Coaches will be run between Gettysburg and Hanover, to connect with the trains to and from Baltimore, York, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, &c. Persons desiring tickets or information will call on the undersigned, or on CHARLES TAYLOR, Ticket Agent, at the Eagle Hotel, in Chambersburg street.

Special attention given to all packages, &c., or other business entrusted to the undersigned between Gettysburg and Hanover, which will be promptly and carefully attended to.

The undersigned has also effected arrangements, by which he will be able to supply Coaches, Stages, &c., for Funeral and other occasions, at moderate charges.

NICHOLAS WEAVER.

April 13.

Cheap Goods still coming at FAHNESTOCK'S.

WE have just received from New York and Philadelphia another supply of Cheap Goods, which we have at the disposal of the public. We purchased at auction several cases of very cheap Tickings, which we can sell at a bargain.

31 coat Tickings for 25 cents;

25 " " 18 " " &c.

184 " " 16 " " &c.

We have yet on hand some of these cheap

Muslins and Prints which have made such a

noise among buyers of cheap goods. Having

been in the city almost constantly during the

last few months, we were enabled to watch

opportunities for obtaining bargains, and we

now propose to give our numerous customers

the benefit of them. Don't fail to come to

Dec. 28.

FALL AND WINTER GOODS FOR 1857.

J. L. SCHICK would avail himself of this medium, of announcing to the community and public in general, that he has received from the cities the largest and most complete stock of

DRY GOODS,

that it has ever been your pleasure to examine in this place, all of which has been selected with time, the utmost care, and with particular reference to the tastes and wants of the people of this locality, and which for beauty of style and cheapness, he challenges comparison. In the

LADIES' DEPARTMENT,

he has all styles, qualities, shades, and colors of Goods, suitable for the season. He invites the ladies to call and take a look through his selections at their earliest convenience.

FOR THE GENTLEMEN,

he has a choice stock of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vests, &c., all good and cheap. The new styles of Schick's will always be found ready to show Goods and sell cheap among the very cheapest.

Oct. 26.

A MOST BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT OF MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS.

MISS McCLELLAN

HAS just returned from the City, where she has added to her already large stock a new and elegant assortment of MILLINERY and FANCY GOODS, to which she would invite the attention of her friends and the public, believing that an examination will satisfy them that her Goods are the best selected and most fashionable as well as the cheapest ever offered in this place.

The assortment includes the most and fashionable styles of Schick's, Braid, Ribbons, Ginghams, Calicoes, De Bage, Coburg Cloths, Muslin, Linen, Sack Flannels, Bonnets and Bonnet Trimmings, Satins, Ladies' Dress Trimmings, Velvets, Artificial, Black Veils, Blue do., Gloves, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, French Worked Collars, Cambric, Jaconet & Swiss Edgings, Insertings, Muslins, Sleeves, Mohair and Silk Mitts, Black Lace and Fringe, Beaded Handkerchiefs, Braids, Fans, &c., &c.

Call and examine for yourselves.

Gettysburg, Oct. 9.

NEW GOODS.

GEO. ARNOLD & CO.

HAVE just received a large stock of NEW GOODS, among which are Ladies' Dress Goods in great variety, Cheap Cloths, Overcoats, Cassimeres, Jeans, Satinets, Corda, Vests, Flannels, Shirts, Blouses, Carpets, and Linoleums generally, with a large stock of Ready-made Clothing, all of our own making, warranted well made and full, also a large stock of GROCERIES; all of which will be sold cheap for CASH. Call and see us.

Oct. 9.

A N extensive assortment of IRON and NAILS just received at

FAHNESTOCK'S.

EMONS, good and fresh, for sale at

the cheap store of BOYER & SON.

VIANHERRES, Raisins, Fruits, Fancy

Articles, &c., at

SCOTT'S.

POWDER, Shot, B. Lead, & Percussion

Caps, for sale at

SCOTT'S.

LONDON, Fibbers, Brazil Nuts

English Nuts, and Pea Nuts, con-

stantly on hand and will be sold cheap by

BOYER & SON.

SUGAR, Coffee and Molasses, just received by

Gillespie & Thomas.

A splendid lot of Buffalo Robes, Buffalo

Gum, and Cal-skin Over-shoes, selling

very cheap, at

COBEAN & PAXTON have a large stock

of Gum Shoes and Buffalo Shoes, of the

best quality, for Ladies and Gentlemen.

WALKING CANES, for gentlemen, of

various kinds just received by

BRINGMAN & AUGHINBAUGH.

SAPONIFY or Concentrated Lye for

making Soap to be had at

FAHNESTOCK BROTHERS.

CUCUMBER Pickles and good Vinegar by

Gillespie & Thomas.

DRESS TRIMMINGS of all kinds can be

had at SCHICK'S, as cheap as the

cheapest, if not a little cheaper.

COFFEE, Chocolate, Sugar, Molasses

Rice, Pepper, Allspice, Cloves, Ginger

Cinnamon, Mustard, Ground Alum Salt

Starch, Saleratus, Baking Soda, Washing

Soda, Epsom Salts, Alum, Copperas, Med-

ford, Rosin, Shot and Hard Soap, Castile,

Tallow, and Rosin do., Ink, Silver sand, &c.,

all of the best quality, constantly kept on

hand at

SCOTT'S.

AGENTS, ATTENTION!

Do you wish to find good employment, and make money with every turn of your wheelbarrow? If you do, read this advertisement.

G. E. TOWN & Co., of 392 Broome Street, New York, are manufacturing and selling massive gold Pencils for \$5 each, (which are cheap at that price), and there is a gift of price with each Pencil, worth from \$2 up to \$5, \$10, \$15, \$20, \$25, \$30, \$40, \$75, \$100, \$200, and \$500. Don't cry out, "Humbly!" "Lottery!" It's no such thing. The Pencils are sold at their cash value, and all the profits over the first cost are thrown into the gifts, which actually cost the purchaser nothing. The prizes are distributed on a simple plan of drawing, which would take too much space to explain, but which has never failed to give complete satisfaction. We have drawn and sent to purchasers 183 gold watches of various prices, 74 purses of gold dollars, 238 gold lockets, 860 gold chains, and a corresponding number of other prizes, within two months.

THERE ARE NO BLANKS, but every purchaser draws a prize worth \$2 certain, and it stands thousands of chances to be a higher figure.

We want a good agent in every neighborhood throughout the country, to solicit purchasers, and any agent, to be successful, must have Pencil and prize to exhibit. We pay agents \$1 each for each purchaser he obtains, and the first person in any neighborhood who applies for a Pencil and prize, will receive the agency for that locality. Should an agent obtain a valuable prize to exhibit with his Pencil, he would have little difficulty in obtaining scores of purchasers, and make it a paying business.

A New Idea! Read!! Read!!! We ask nobody to send their money till they know what prize they draw. Any person wishing to try their luck, can first send us their name and address, and we will make their drawing and inform them by return of mail what prize they drew, when they will send on and take the Pencil and prize, or send on and take the Pencil and prize, or send on and take the Pencil and prize. We give this privilege only once to a purchaser. After the first drawing, every purchaser will be required to send in advance, through the authorized agent. We will send with each drawing the number taken out, with full description of the plan of drawing.

G. E. TOWN & CO.

Jan. 25.

392 Broome Street, New York.

GIFTS! GIFTS!! GIFTS!!!

A PRIZE TO EVERY PURCHASER.

\$500 Dollars Worth of Gifts!!

Consisting of Gold and Silver Watches, Fine Gold Jewelry, &c., will be distributed with every 1000 Books.

The attention of the public is respectfully solicited to the extensive assortment of valuable Standard and Miscellaneous Books, which are offered for sale at the lowest Retail Prices. A Gift worth from 25 cents to \$100, will be given with every Book. A complete Catalogue giving full information, with a list of Prices, will be forwarded on application.

AGENTS WANTED.

LIBERAL INDUCEMENTS OFFERED.

Persons wishing to order at once, can order any Book published by Philadelphia. Now York, Boston, and it will be furnished at the publisher's price, with Gift. Any person ordering 10 Books will receive for commission an extra Book with Gift. For postage send stamps, 18 cents for \$1.00 Books. Address DUANE RULISON, Publisher, No. 33 South Third St., Philadelphia.

Feb. 8.

NEW STORE!

Family Groceries, Confections, &c.

THE undersigned has opened a Family Grocery establishment, in Chambersburg Street, Gettysburg, opposite the Lutheran Church, and invites attention to his large stock of

Groceries, Fruits, Confections,

Cedar Ware, &c.

embracing everything which can be found in a first class Family Grocery, such as Coffee, Sugar, Raisins, Salt, Tea, Starch, Spices of all kinds, Pickles, Oranges, Lemons, Figs, Raisins, Prunes, Citrons, Almonds, Candies, Cedar Ware, Combs, Brushes, Umbrellas, Tobacco, Powder, Shot, &c.—all of which will be sold at LOWEST CASH PRICES. Also, Flour & FEED.

Call and see us.

JOHN SCOTT.

June 28.

JUST FROM THE CITY.

With a Larger Stock than Ever